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Victoria Day Saturday, May 24th
All Stores and places of business
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Local Items

E. Philips, Provincial Sanitary Inspector, was in town this week

Will the person who borrowed two-horse scraper from the Lensegraf farm return same and avoid further trouble.—H. T. Lensegraf

O. H. Gaertner, of Heathdale, who has been spending the winter in Toronto, returned to his farm Tuesday.

Robt Holder, of Rearville, who has been on a business trip to Calgary, returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Call, of Belvedere, Alta., who arrived in town on Tuesday morning, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Strong, of Big Spring.

Mr. S. Spurr, of Lacombe, has been appointed teacher at the Hollywood School.

Service in the Chinook Union church next Sunday evening will be conducted by Mr. A. McNeill, pastor. The subject will be "Sleeping Christians". Every body welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jacques and son, motored to Calgary last Sunday to spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hinds motored to Youngstown on Sunday.

Mr. Cecil Price, of Youngstown is managing the Drug store during Mr. Jacques' absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wylie, of Youngstown, spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crickshank.

According to figures which have been compiled, Alberta stands second only to Ontario in Canada in the matter of the number of golf clubs. Ontario has 116, while Alberta has 56.

Rev. A. T. Harden, of Cereal, was a visitor in town yesterday.

Mrs. W. A. Hurley returned on Sunday from Alsask, where she underwent an operation a couple of weeks ago.

The annual sports and picnic will be held at Clemens on Saturday, May 24.

Ladies Card Club

Last Thursday evening the ladies card club met at the home of Mrs. J. Black. Mrs. J. B. Valentine held the highest score and received a pretty 'bon-bon' dish. Mrs. C. Wardlaw won the booby prize.

The card club met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. McKenzie. Mrs. Demau won first prize a stamped table centre, while Mrs. J. S. Smith won the consolation.

The members of the card club will meet at the home of Mrs. O. Hinds next Tuesday evening.

600 Bushels Wheat Lost In Fire

John T. McPherson, of Heathdale, lost his granary and six hundred bushels of wheat by fire last Saturday afternoon. He was busy burning stubble. Just as he was making a fire-break for the granary a whirlwind caught the flames and carried the sparks over the fire-break to the granary. A pile of straw near the granary caught and soon the whole building was in flames.

Lorne Proudfoot, M.L.A.
Addresses Clover Leaf
U. F. A. Local

Mr. Lorne Proudfoot, M.L.A., spoke at the Clover Leaf U.F.A. Local last Saturday. He told of the happenings at the Provincial legislature and the work of the U.F.A. Government.

There was a good crowd present, and everyone enjoyed the evening's entertainment.

During the business meeting it was decided to name June 14th as a picnic day. Sports will be held in the afternoon and a dance in the evening.

Struck On Head By Lever

Bert Currie was struck on the head by the lever on his seed drill last Saturday morning. He was brought to town and had to have Dr. Valentine put in five stitches in the wound.

Thrown Off Horse And Breaks Leg

Ernest Gagne, of Rearville, had a nasty accident last Saturday when his horse stuck his foot in a badger hole and threw his rider. The right leg was broken just above the ankle. The bone was set by the local doctor. Mr. Gagne had to ride nine miles alone before he could get aid.

Boy Scouts Celebrate

"Did they, well I guess they did! Did what? Have a good time. I'll say they did when the Chinook Boy Scouts celebrated the birthday of one of their members, Rolland Massey, at his home in the Laughlin district. Mrs. Massey served a lunch which tasked the capacities of the guests to the utmost. Then the boys enjoyed themselves running, jumping, etc. Before leaving the Scouts gathered round and gave three hearty cheers for their hostess. The boys left for home tired but happy in the cars provided by the generosity of their older friends. The boys are still disputing loud and long as to who ate the most chicken and as to whether Mrs. Rideout or Mr. Brownell is the fastest car driver.

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The Tide Has Turned

The feeling of discouragement, amounting in some instances almost to despondency and pessimism, that has prevailed in Canada during recent years is passing away. Evidence of this are seen everywhere, and while there are still some croakers and prophets of hue and cry their number is steadily and more and more rapidly declining, while the ranks are filling up with Canadians who are openly giving proof of their confidence in the Dominion and its future.

A study of the Canadian situation, viewed from all angles, provides ample support for this more hopeful feeling, and goes to show that it is based on a solid foundation of facts. If this country suffers from one great national fault it is that, as a people, we take too short a view and are too impatient for results. We are a young country and are too apt to fall into the errors of youth. In an old country like England they do not expect to achieve great reforms over night, or in a year, or a decade. They realize that it has taken generations to effect reforms and advancements from which they now benefit. But too many people in Canada "want what they want when they want it," and become discouraged and discontented if it is not immediately forthcoming.

Having for some time past been engaged in discussing our difficulties and handicaps, let us, for a change, take a look at the brighter, truer side of the picture.

During the twelve months ended March last, Canada's trade was almost two billion dollars, and represented an increase of two hundred millions of dollars over the previous year. And whereas in 1922 our imports exceeded exports by over seven million dollars, in the year ended March last our exports exceeded imports by over \$150,000,000.

During this last fiscal year Canada manufactured and exported 15,296 motor trucks as compared with only 3,720 the previous year, and passenger automobiles exported increased by over 9,000.

Canada's flour mills in this last year sold 11,175,000 barrels of flour abroad, or 1,500,000 more barrels than a year ago. In pulp and paper Canada exported \$14,000,000, or \$2,000,000 more than a year ago. In lumbering and mining, the same story of progress is recorded.

Wheat production in Canada last year totalled 47,100,000 bushels as compared with 161,000,000 bushels ten years ago, and the manner in which Canada is outstanding the United States as an exporter of wheat is revealed in the fact that during the nine months ended March last the United States exported only \$14,000,000 of wheat as compared with \$161,000,000 in the corresponding months of the previous year, whereas Canada's wheat exports jumped from \$11,100,000 to \$153,000,000. In other words, where the United States exported \$50,000,000 more than Canada in 1922-23, Canada exported \$51,000,000 more than the United States in 1923-24.

These things are having their effect. Employment is much better today than a year ago, and very much better than two years ago. Railway earnings are decidedly better, with a consequent very gratifying drop in the deficit on the Canadian National Railways. For the first time since the war, Canada's national budget has been balanced, and the Government has been enabled to start a cut in the reduction of taxation imposed, which in turn, will have a beneficial effect on all industry.

But it is not in wheat production alone that a marked improvement is being recorded in the industry of agriculture. The growth in the dairy industry of the prairie provinces in recent years has been nothing short of marvellous, and while the livestock industry is still depressed, it is felt that rock bottom has been reached and that the tendency must now be upward toward larger markets and better prices.

Recently the manager of the only existing bank in one of our Western municipalities informed the writer that he did not know of a single farmer in the municipality who had lost money on his operations during 1922, and that he did know of scores of others who had made money and been able to substantially reduce their liabilities, while those fortunate ones without debts had increased their holdings or their balances in the bank.

Following the depression and ebb of prosperity in the years after the war, the tide is again flowing in favor of Canada. Immigration is increasing, and both people and Government are at last available to the necessity of acting energetically to secure large numbers of the right type of settlers for this country. Immigration assisted in bringing prosperity and development to Canada in the years prior to the war. It will have the same effect again.

Conditions for agriculture are favorable at the opening of the season of 1921. There may be some reduction in acreage sown owing to the lateness of the season, but the seed has gone into the ground under the most promising conditions.

There is, therefore, good reason why the feeling of depression should be fading away. There is no ground for pessimism. The country itself is all right. Mistakes have been made in the past which must be overcome, but they are not insurmountable. Faith and hard work will correct them. These are the main things Canada needs today. We believe Canadians, taken as a whole, are prepared to supply these two requisites.

Products of the Maple Tree

Maple Sugar Crop in Quebec Will Amount to \$22,000,000 Pounds

With a maple sugar season extending this year over seven or eight weeks as compared with a normal period of five weeks, officials of the Quebec Provincial Department of Agriculture forecast that the maple sugar crop this season will be about \$22,000,000 pounds.

At the average cost of 25 cents per pound, farmers will realize about \$5,500,000. Experts claim that the sap has not been as rich as it is this season for many years. The province of Quebec supplies a big percentage of the world's maple syrup and maple sugar.

Vote \$500 For Prizes

Prize Winners From Alberta at International Hay and Grain Show

The Calgary Board of Trade announces that \$500 will be distributed in prizes in 1924 to the first prize winners from Alberta at the International Hay and Grain Show in Chicago December. Last December, Alberta men won four championships and 41 other prizes.

Mild But Suggestive

The more usual lack of intelligence among the students that morning had got under the professor's skin.

"Class is dismissed," he said, exasperatedly. "Please don't flap your ears as you pass out."

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Mennonites Buying Land

Deal Involving \$270,000 Was Put Through Recently

Involving a deal of \$270,000, a group of twenty Mennonite families have purchased the 5,588-acre farm of Wilson Brothers at Harris, Sask., on the line of the Canadian National Railways. The deal, while completed by a private concern, was the outcome of lengthy negotiations carried on by the Canada Colonization Association, the manager of which claims that the Mennonites who have bought this land are of a different sect to those who have gone to Mexico. He states that they are industrialists and not communists, and do not share the prejudices of the old colony Mennonites against Canadian institutions.

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Diamond Dyes

Each 15-cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can dye or tint any old, worn, faded thing new, even if she has never dyed before. Choose any color at drug store.

Panel Work Completed

Last of Four Placed in British House of Parliament

The last of the four mosaic panels which adorn the central hall of the Houses of Parliament, representing the four kingdoms, England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, has been completed.

The panel portrays St. Patrick for Ireland and is the work of R. Annin Bell, R.A. The unveiling took place on St. Patrick's Day and was attended by the Irish members of both Houses.

Four arched panels were set aside for the purpose when the building was erected, and the intention of the architect that the work of filling them should be done by posterity has taken just 100 years to be realized.

The first panel, which represents St. George for England, was completed in 1870, St. David for Wales in 1898, and St. Andrew for Scotland last year.

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Mineral Production Increase

Official statistics issued by Hon. Wm. Sloan, minister of mines for British Columbia, place the value of the mineral production of the province for 1923 at \$14,394,230. This is \$6,145,170 greater than the monetary value of the output during 1922, an increase of 17.5 per cent.

COULDN'T SLEEP HEART WAS BAD NERVES A WRECK

Mr. H. A. Reid, Upper Musquodoboit, N.S., writes: "I am very thankful for the benefit—I have been receiving by using Millburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

When I came home from overseas in 1920, my heart was very badly affected by rheumatism, and I suffered very a dreadful wreck. I was very short winded, and could not possibly sleep at night, in fact, I was in such a condition I feel as if I did not wish anyone to speak to me. I thought I would try something else, and nerves I had been taking for two weeks I could enjoy a good night's rest as well as anyone.

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Dependent Children in Ontario

Approximately 15,000 children under sixteen years of age are dependent upon public charity in Ontario, according to the annual report of the administration of the Mothers' Allowance Act. Homes last year were found for 1,500 children, 2,250 were placed in orphanages, 225 in infants' homes and 186 in shelters.

Entirely in Favor

"Did you favor the system at the recent election?"

"Sure did; I voted for it five times."

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The Pre-War Mind

Is War the Result of Habit of Thought?

Whatever may be said on platforms, the pre-war mind is unable to conceive of the outlawry of war; and parochially. It is largely because of the ridiculous deference exacted from young men for the opinions of their elders that the tradition of the inevitability of war has been so long perpetuated. So long as that is accepted as a matter of course, war must survive just as the duel survived, in spite of legislation, as long as it was a matter of course for a man of honor to demand "satisfaction" with the sword or the pistol. The result of such a habit of thought is visible less in this country than on the continent, but evidence of it was very apparent in the recent debate on the air force. The pre-war thinker, try as he may, cannot get it out of his head that armaments are built to be used. In his public speeches he is more likely to talk of them as an illustration of the old maxim about wishing for peace and preparing for war. When he is discussing the armaments of his own country he will always say that they are merely for protection. But directly he looks at the armaments of another country he can only see them as something aimed deliberately at him. If the post-war mind cannot escape from that line of argument, war remains inevitable.—Reginald Berkeley, M.P., in the Spectator.

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A neglected cold is the open gateway to Consumption. To quickly stop a cold, the best way is to clear the air passages of the nose and throat; free them of germs, and to the nose of CATARRHINOZENE to do the rest. Once breath of CATARRHINOZENE brings instant relief, relieves the throat, nose and lungs, clears the bronchial tubes are healed, and danger of Catarrh is prevented.

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Increased Activity in Car Loading

Car loading in March went well ahead of the record for February and also far in advance of the showing for the corresponding month of last year. The total was 289,359, as against 233,356 in March, 1922. This is very significant and convincing proof that the trade of the country has improved in like degree, according to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Requisite on the Farm—Every Farmer and Stock-raiser Should Keep a Supply of Dr. Williams' Pill Pops

Dr. Williams' Pill Pops are just the tonic to remedy all ills for life in the family, but because it is a horse and cattle medicine of great potency. As a substitute for sweet oil for horses and cattle affected by colic, it has proved most effective.

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No surgical operation is necessary in removing corns if Holloway's Corn Remover be used.

Canadian, Shingles For U.S.

Fifty Carloads of Cedar Shingles Shipped From Vancouver to Eastern U.S.

A special train of fifty carloads of cedar shingles, the first to go from British Columbia through the United States, was recently shipped from Vancouver destined to points east of Buffalo, N.Y.

The consignment was the first of several railroads expected to be shipped east during the spring and summer. Heretofore virtually all lumber and its products from the Pacific Northwest to the district east of Chicago have gone by way of the Panama Canal.

Enough shingles, made to last forty or fifty years, to roof 800 buildings of average size, which would house 4,000 people, are contained in the shipment, which required 1,125,000 logs.

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The hub of the five great motors which will take the Zeppelin ZR-3 to Lakehurst, N.J., there to be turned over to the United States navy, is keeping Friedrichshafen awake these nights.

They are the most powerful long-distance Zeppelin engines ever designed, but have not yet been perfected. It is announced, and it will be a few weeks before they are installed and trial flights begun. They are of 100 horsepower each, and often run day and night in the machine shop near the Zeppelin shed, where officials and mechanics are endeavoring to perfect them so that they will run for a hundred hours or more without a stop.

For war purposes, motors were designed for twenty to twenty-five-hour trips. With the building of the ZR-3, however, it was realized that there must be perfected a driving force capable of making the four-day trip across the Atlantic.

Hugh Eckener, director of the Zeppelin Company, who will pilot the ZR-3 to Lakehurst, said that he was making no promises, but that he hoped to begin the flight early in June.

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Prest Air Ice Is Expected To Revolutionize The Entire Science Of Refrigeration

Prest air ice—one of the wonderful discoveries of the age—is destined beyond all pre-adventure to revolutionize the entire science of refrigeration. And what a tremendous force in our national life refrigeration has become. When this continent was first peopled, the settlements were largely scattered along the more important waterways and these unpolished streams returned an annual harvest of natural ice adequate to the blunted demands of the times. But as the country has developed, as region upon region has opened up and people, as the problem of food distribution have become more and more complicated, and as the uses of ice and refrigeration have become infinitely more numerous, the waterways and the streams of the country have become for the most part too polluted for their ice to be used for human consumption, and we have had to resort increasingly to the artificial product, so that last year out of a total consumption for the United States and Canada, of seven million tons, more than half of the total was artificially produced. And to produce this forty million tons the combined activities of six thousand ice plants of varying capacity were necessary.

First successfully demonstrated more than a century ago, artificial refrigeration did not come into general use until approximately forty years ago, while mechanical refrigeration is only about thirty years old. Since that time, however, the production of ice by artificial means has become universal, especially on this continent where it is an indispensable necessity of the national life.

Prest air ice, which as we have stated, is destined to revolutionize the refrigerating industry, is the joint discovery of two eminent scientists, Walter S. Josephson and Thomas D. Slaten, and is the culmination on the part of these two men of many years of patient and diligent research, during which time a veritable "fortune" has been expended. But at last, it can be said without fear of contradiction that the scientists have demonstrated conclusively that this new form of refrigeration is a real commercial success.

Prest air ice is the ultimate result of a series of experiments that have been made by the inventors and the utilization of liquid carbon dioxide in the realm of power. Messrs. Josephson and Slaten found that carbon dioxide, thoroughly prepared and properly treated, when compressed to liquid form, would accomplish such work as lifting automobiles and many other useful automotives where power is portable and compact form was required, and from this knowledge they evolved an industry—the Prest Air Corporation—that is said to be one of the fastest growing developments in the land.

In their experiments, the inventors encountered so much difficulty from the freezing of their apparatus that they determined to work intensively in this new suggested field, and finally succeeded in developing a basic method of freezing the gas into snow and pressing it into a substance closely resembling ice, hence its name—Prest Air Ice. This new ice has a critical temperature of 114 degrees below zero Fahrenheit, as compared with a critical temperature of 32 degrees Fahrenheit for practically all natural and manufactured ice.

Prest air ice is absolutely moistureless, reverting to gas upon evaporation. It is the only absolutely sterile atmosphere yet discovered to science, and as no bacterial or other germ life can exist under its influence, it constitutes beyond question the most efficient preservative of foodstuffs yet evolved. Scientists of the Mellon Institute, indeed, have declared, after elaborate experimentation, that this gas is competent to destroy even the germ of typhoid, and that it possesses unquestioned powers for the correction of infection.

One of the advantages of prest air refrigeration lies in the fact that with its employment it will be possible to fix and maintain any desired temperature from 114 degrees below zero Fahrenheit to 75 degrees above, and this wholly irrespective of outside temperature. Thus, it will be possible to ship a carload of fish from seaboard to an interior point with a predetermined temperature in absolute assurance that there will be no deviation of temperature throughout the journey.

One of the chief fields for this revolutionary discovery in refrigeration will lie in the sphere of transportation. Last year the railroads of the United States and Canada consumed nearly fifteen million tons of ice in refrigerating their cars, which at a base price of four dollars a ton at a plant would mean the primary refrigerating charge of at least sixty million dollars annually. So serious, indeed, as this problem

became to the common carriers that many of them have deemed it advisable to build their own refrigerating plants, and many more are contemplating similar action.

Let us visualize for a moment what the application of prest air refrigeration will mean to the railroads of this continent. Under the existing conditions, 26 per cent of the entire car space is required for bunkering of the ice, while every refrigerated car must be reiced once every twenty-four to forty-eight hours, thus a trans-continental fruit train from California to New York requires six distinct reicings, and a similar car containing frozen products such as fish, would have to be reiced at least twelve times.

The Prest air system, however, will eliminate entirely the need of bunker space, as the entire car will be cooled from four containers placed in the corners and occupying none of the cargo space, while the lasting qualities of the ice itself are so much greater that it will be possible for a car to cross the continent without having to be reiced at all; in fact, it has been demonstrated that a car under this system can be kept in perfect condition without reficing for fourteen days.

Prest air refrigeration will mean a saving of millions of dollars in the annual ton bill of the railroads, but that saving will be small indeed in comparison with the untold millions of dollars that should be conserved to the railroads through the great increase in car capacity and the elimination of the huge transportation charges on the millions of tons of water ice that have to be carried under existing conditions. Nor can one exaggerate the tremendous benefits that will accrue to the railroads and to the country through the bringing of the market nearer to the source of supply by so effectively reducing the running time of the average refrigerator train.

Natural Resources Bulletin

Forest Reserves in Western Canada Used For Grazing Purposes
The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, says:

The use of the forest reserves of the prairie provinces for grazing purposes is increasing, according to the forest service. In 1922 there were 558 permits issued for the summer season, covering 25,662 cattle, 8,106 horses and 1,197 sheep, white for the winter season, 1,790 cattle and 2,590 horses were taken care of.

The forest reserves in general provide excellent range and forage for livestock, the great majority of which are turned loose there in poor flesh conditions, and leave the reserves in good condition in the fall. Increased use will in the near future likely be made of the northern forests for grazing purposes. The northern districts will support many thousand head of stock, and from a forestry standpoint, increased grazing will have a decidedly beneficial effect on the reduction of the fire hazard produced by unconsumed forage.

Western Maple Sugar

Saskatchewan Farmer Taps Maple Trees With Good Success

Twenty-five years ago George Cross planted a number of maple trees on his farm at Ripling, Sask. They grew splendidly and to day they constitute a source of revenue. This year, Mr. Cross tapped a few trees by the way of an experiment and was successful in getting quite a lot of maple sugar. It is said that the sugar is almost as good as that which comes from Eastern Canada, and Mr. Cross states that if the tapping does not injure the trees he will tap quite a lot more next year.

British Columbia's Payroll

Canada's payroll for 1923 was \$150,000,000, according to the annual report of the Workmen's Compensation Board. The payroll for 1922 was \$123,592,502, and for 1921, \$120,099,373. Employing firms operating at the end of last year numbered 6,221, an increase of 145 over the previous year.

Trade With Germany

Canada's trade with Germany almost doubled in the last fiscal year. In the 12 months ended with March imports from Germany were \$5,379,721, an increase over the previous year of \$2,131,238; exports to Germany were \$16,153,673, an increase of \$6,202,796.

Banting Honored Again

Dr. G. Daning, of Toronto, was awarded the John Scott medal by the Philadelphian Board of City Trustees for his work in the discovery of the insulin treatment for diabetes.

Exporting Canadian Honey

Ready Sale Is Found in Great Britain and European Points

A. G. Halsted, manager of the Ontario Co-operative Honey Producers' Association, states that Ontario honey is beginning to meet ready sale in Great Britain and in Europe at profitable prices. In fact, the export market at the present time is ahead of the local outlet. Insofar as far as the producers are concerned, following up the advantage obtained by the winning of a championship in honey at one of the leading exhibitions in the Old Country last year, the Ontario Co-operative Honey Producers' Association have developed an extensive market for their wares across the Atlantic.

"Since last December," said Mr. Halsted, "we have shipped over three-quarters of a million pounds to Great Britain, mostly in the 60-pound package. We have made five shipments, totalling 40,000 pounds, to Denmark, 6,000 pounds to Sweden and have orders from Austria, Portugal and Germany." He said that the 60-pound package was used almost exclusively for export shipments because most of the honey abroad was purchased for manufacturing purposes. "In Britain," he said, "only 25 per cent is sold for direct human consumption."

Production of honey in Ontario is now estimated at 10,000,000 pounds, and 25,000,000 for the Dominion. Moreover, the output, especially in the prairie provinces, is increasing rapidly. Manitoba, for instance, had an output of a little over a million pounds in 1920; last year this had risen to over three million.

Percentage Of Crops On Hand

15 Per Cent. of Last Year's Wheat Crop in Farmers' Hands at End of March

At the end of March, according to official figures, 15 per cent. of last year's wheat crop was still in farmers' hands. Last year at the same time the amount in farmers' hands of the 1922 crop was 14 per cent. In other words the wheat crop in farmers' hands on March 31, was 75,755,000 bushels of the estimated total yield in 1923 of 471,000,000 bushels. In 1922, at the same time, 54,771,000 bushels remained of the yield in 1922 of 399,755,000 bushels. Oats were 44 per cent., barley, 21 against 25 per cent.; rye, 19 against 17 per cent.; buckwheat, 20 against 22 per cent.; corn for hatching, 18 against 22 per cent.; flaxseed, 34 against 17 per cent.; potatoes, 31 against 25 per cent.; turnips, 12 against 13 per cent.; hay and clover, 26 against the same percentage last year.

At the end of March, reports received at Ottawa indicated that on the average the winter in Canada had been fine and mild, that livestock was in good condition, that fodder was plentiful, and that heavy horses, good milk cows and sheep were in demand.

Pulp and Paper Exports

Exports Show How Pulp Industry is Growing

Exports of pulp and paper from Canada for the month of March, 1923, according to the report of the Canadian Pulp and Paper Association, were valued at \$1,172,923, an increase of \$5,733,024 over the previous month, and the highest since October, 1920, when prices were considerably higher than they are at present. The above sum is divided into \$10,501,573 for newspaper, etc., and \$1,155,659 for pulp.

For the first quarter of the year value of exports of pulp and paper from Canada was \$36,234,167 for the first quarter of 1922. The increase was solely in paper, there being less pulp exported than in 1922.

Exports of pulpwod in March were valued at \$1,838,546, a considerable advance over the previous month. For the first quarter of the year Canada exported pulpwod valued at \$3,812,169, compared with \$3,045,459 in the same quarter of 1922.

Chinese Coal For Canada

Lo Chong, the new Chinese consul-general, who arrived at Ottawa recently, announces that he is intending to take up the question of the establishment of a market here for Chinese coal. There is sufficient surplus coal in his country, he says, to supply Canada for the next hundred years. Chong is an Oxford University graduate.

Alberta's Plastic Winner

At the Ontario Musical Competition festival recently held in Massey Hall, Eugene Murphy, of Red Deer, Alberta, won the gold medal in the solo contest for pianists. The contest was open to all Canada. The test place was to play a piece by Liszt's arrangement of Paganini's "La Campanella."

Loafer—"There ain't no flies on me. Custer—I believe you. Even the blinkin' flies must draw the line somewhere."

Things That Complete a Costume



Beads and bracelets are more popular than ever. This string of amber beads, imported from China, with a silver bracelet to match, are attractive items for morning or afternoon wear.

Making Boards of Straw

Possibilities of Utilizing Straw from Alberta Grain Fields

Samples of straw-board made from Alberta straw have been received by Premier Grenfell from the Montreal Laboratory of the Dominion Forest Branch. The Premier has had the experiments conducted in order to investigate the possibilities of using straw from Alberta grain fields in this way. The samples received indicate there are real possibilities in this line.

It is learned that the material produced is very similar to the wallboard, now so much used for interior house construction. It will not stand excessive moisture, however, cannot be used for exterior purposes where it would be exposed to the weather. While the manufacture of this product is quite feasible it is likely to be some time before it will be placed on the market as a commercial commodity, for economic reasons.

The market for the product, it is believed, would not create sufficient demand to justify the construction of a plant where the raw material is available in almost unlimited quantity.

On the other hand the shipment of straw or straw pulp to the east, would be too expensive to be economical at present.

Patrolling Forest Areas

Hydroplanes Will Be Used in North-western Ontario This Season

Seven hydroplanes will be engaged in patrolling the forests of North-western Ontario from White River on the east to the Manitoba boundary in the west this season, and considerable reduction in the ground staff of the rangers will be made as a result of a new programme decided upon by the Ontario Department of Lands and Forests. The hydroplanes will be commanded by expert pilots and will be used extensively in patrolling and reporting the presence of bush fires.

Many Come West

85 Per Cent. of Immigrants Arriving at Atlantic Seabord go to Western Points

In his address to the Border Cities Chamber of Commerce, Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, stated that of the immigrants who have entered Canada from the Atlantic seaboard in the past year, 85 per cent. were destined for the west, and of these 92 per cent. were destined for farms.

It is said that Canada could, without danger, absorb a minimum of 300,000 per year, a maximum of 500,000 new people per year.

Scheme To Link European Canals

A great scheme under which there would be constructed canals running from Nazare, the French port, to Switzerland, and linking up with the great European canals, is being considered. If it is carried out, there will be continuous water traffic from the Atlantic Ocean to the Black Sea, across France and along the Danube. The promoter of this plan is the Comte de Bresson, who has brought it before the French Chamber.

Manitoba Beekeepers

A proposition is being worked out by the Beekeepers' Association of Manitoba whereby its members will ship honey to Winnipeg for clarifying and then sell under one label and one grade. The new scheme will be run on a co-operative plan.

The Post-War Wealth Of

Leading Nations Is Shown

To Be Appreciably Lower

World-Wide Butter Prices

No Other Article, Except Precious Metal, So Uniform in Price

Butter, like gold, has a world-wide standard of value. It is pointed out in a review of the 1922 market by the California Dairy Council. The review says:

"Milk may be produced, manufactured into butter and sold to a housewife within a radius of ten miles, but the price of that butter is determined by conditions in the four corners of the world."

"No other article of commerce, except the precious metal, is so uniform around the world as the product of the dairy cow, of which butterfat is the foundation. Whether it comes from New Zealand or Nova Scotia, Denmark, Wisconsin or California, it is simply butter when it reaches the market of New York, Chicago and San Francisco, and the price in all cities, due allowance for slight freight rate differentials, are practically the same."

"During 1922 average prices of dairy products throughout the country increased—butter 17 per cent., cheese 13 per cent., condensed milk 30 per cent., and margarine 12 per cent."

The dairy council said butter increased in almost the same proportion everywhere, from an average of 16.7 cents a pound to an average of 16.7 cents, but in California the increase was slightly less, being from 42.7 to 47.6 cents.

Consumption of dairy products in this country increases faster than the supply, according to the review.

Prevent Spread of Cattle Epidemic

Vancouver Board of Trade Take Steps to Cure Disease in British Columbia

Preliminary steps were taken by Vancouver Board of Trade to arrange for a conference of medical health officers of the provincial government, civic corporations, livestock authorities and others interested in combating any spread of the California cattle epidemic northward.

The idea is to hold a conference and formulate definite plans for the protection of the cattle of British Columbia from any form of contagious contact with animals which have been exposed to the foot and mouth epidemic in the south.

The dairy industry is one of the most important phases of farming in the province, while the beef cattle ranges in the interior add greatly to the total of productive enterprises. It is to safeguard these that the conference is being arranged.

Bright Future For the West

D. H. Hanna Predicts Renewed Prosperity For Prairie Provinces

D. H. Hanna, of Toronto, is still, as ever, a firm believer in the future of the west. Interviewed by the Manitoba Free Press, Mr. Hanna said that farmers generally were once more seeing things from a right perspective and he believed that this made the future of the great west assured.

"There was a time," said Mr. Hanna, "when the farmers had got slightly out of line with regard to their perspective and were cultivating large areas, seemingly under the idea that wheat would always remain at a \$2 level. Now, however, they are getting down to logic real farmers, paying strict attention to the raising of cattle and hogs, and it is from this chiefly that I prophesy renewed prosperity for the west."

Saskatchewan Creamery Products

An increase of over 400,000 pounds in creamery productions for the first three months of the year as compared with the corresponding period last year is reported by H. E. Reed, Dairy Commissioner for Saskatchewan. In January, February and March, 1923, 761,500 pounds of creamery products were produced compared with 1,574,300 for the first three months of 1922. This shows a percentage increase of over 32 per cent. for the three months of this year.

British Buyers Satisfied

British buyers were satisfied with the shipments of Canadian grain received last year, according to Sidney D. Smith, head of the Smith, Murphy Export Company. In a statement made to the Royal Grain Commission at Winnipeg, Mr. Smith said his company had shipped 43,000,000 bushels of wheat to the United Kingdom last year, and not a single complaint had been registered.

Absolute zero—the point at which bodies on earth are entirely devoid of heat—exists at 459.4 below the Fahrenheit scale.

The aggregate pre-war wealth of the 20 odd nations actively engaged in the great war, according to an estimate just completed by the research department of the Bankers' Trust Company of New York, amounted to \$620,000,000,000.

The wealth of these nations today is estimated to be about \$615,000,000,000, while the pre-war wealth of the British Empire, that of Great Britain, the Dominions, India and the Crown Colonies, was approximately \$100,000,000,000.

"While the world's wealth of the same group of nations is estimated by the Bankers' Trust Company to be around \$119,000,000,000,

The wealth of France before the war was placed at under \$36,000,000,000, and is estimated to be approximately the same today.

The pre-war wealth of the United States is placed at \$200,000,000,000, and the wealth today at \$230,000,000,000, while the pre-war wealth of Germany is estimated to have been upwards of \$35,000,000,000 and today to be about \$35,000,000,000.

These figures are all on the gold pre-war basis of values, having been adjusted for inflation.

The per capita wealth of Great Britain today is placed at \$1,489 and of the different nations comprising the British Empire at \$118 including the wealth and population of India, or \$1,046 including the wealth and population of India.

The wealth of France is placed in 1913 to be \$1,484 per capita and of the United States \$2,699 per capita. The wealth of Germany is placed at \$901 per capita. The Bankers' Trust Company points out that the total wealth of the former belligerents has not materially changed as a result of the war, but that there has been a marked redistribution of such wealth, this redistribution having taken place not only as between nations but also between people within the boundaries of each nation.

Demand For Sheep

World Shortage of Wool Reflects in Higher Prices

What amounts to a world shortage in wool augurs well for the future of the farmer who is fortunate enough to be in possession of a flock of breeding sheep according to A. E. McLaurin, of Vancouver, representative of the Dominion Livestock Branch.

Mr. McLaurin said that due to this condition, the demand for breeding ewes in Saskatchewan and Manitoba is almost unprecedented and it is almost impossible to fill this demand. "With wool prices good and lambs fetching eight cents a pound at country points," he said, "farmers with breeding stock are loath to part with them and those who would like to get into the game are unable to buy."

"I was told the other day by an authority that the world stocks of wool are now almost depleted and with breeding stock considerably reduced there is every prospect of a shortage of wool for several years to come. Coming events cast their shadows before them and this situation is being reflected in wool prices. The natural result is a big demand for breeding stock."

Record Handling of Fish

A record for loading and handling of fish was established by the Canadian National Railways when thirteen cars of fish were unloaded off trawlers at Prince Rupert at 7:25 p.m. April 23, and arrived in Winnipeg at 9 a.m. April 26. The fish were consigned to Winnipeg, Duthie and Chicago, the time occupied in the run from Prince Rupert to Duthie being 56 hours and from the seaboard to Chicago 101 hours and 5 minutes. This time is 21 hours ahead of the fastest time ever made previously, according to Canadian National Express officials.

Excused From Jury Duty
A new reason for being excused from jury duty was offered to a California court. Eleven jurors had been accepted and sworn in. The twelfth man glanced at the already well-filled box while the other jurors were seated and objected that he was fat, and that there was no room for him to sit. The objection was accepted as valid. The fat man was excused, and a thin one was sworn in.

More Butter In Manitoba
About 15 per cent. more butter was produced in Manitoba in 1923 than in the preceding year, according to the estimate of Dairy Commissioner L. A. Gibson. The quality, he states, is also distinctly ahead of last year's. The cream grading is having its effect.

Another good way to save is to make more money than you can conveniently spend.

CHARGES MADE AGAINST C.N.R. AT THE COAST

Ottawa.—Senator J. D. Taylor, of New Westminster, B.C., charged in the Senate that there was organized rascality in the several departments of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine and the C.N.R. in British Columbia. He spoke on an order for the production of correspondence with the marine department respecting an inquiry into an alleged casualty to the C. G. M. M. steamer Canadian Farmer, and said he had been for 15 months endeavoring to secure the attention of higher officials, including the president of the railway company, to obtain an inquiry into conditions in the railway and steamship service in British Columbia, and the results of the inquiry had been negatived by the direct order of the president.

Senator W. H. Bennett gave notice that he would move for an inquiry into Canadian National Railway expenditure by a special committee of the Senate.

Senator Taylor's charges had reference to the alleged use of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine for run rumping, defrauding the insurance companies by false statements of repairs on steamers, and to illegal commissions in the purchasing department of the railway company in Vancouver, and with these were a charge of retention of guilty officials and dismissal of those who sought to purge the service of wrongdoing.

Portuguese Aviators Caught In Cyclone

Two Received Slight Injuries and Biplane Was Damaged

Altababad, British India.—The Portuguese aviators, Brito Paes and Samonte Belos, attempting a flight from Lisbon to Macao, China, are reported to have crashed at Paphi, in Jodhpur.

Lisbon.—A message received here confirms the report that the Portuguese aviators flying to the Far East suffered an accident at Jodhpur. The message adds that the aviators were slightly injured and their biplane damaged.

The mishap of the fliers was due to their being caught in a storm of cyclonic intensity.

A later message said that Lieut. Paes was slightly injured and that the mechanic suffered bruises but that Lieut. Belos was unharmed.

Crow's Nest Pass Agreement

Stated That No Action Will Be Taken To Continue Suspension of Ruling

Winnipeg.—The following special despatch from Ottawa relative to the Crow's Nest Pass freight rate agreement is carried by a local newspaper:

"The government will allow the remainder of the Crow's Nest Pass freight rate agreement to come into effect this summer, according to reliable sources of information. While it is not expected that the government will commit itself definitely to this policy until the time arrives, many assurances have been given informally to private members representing western constituents that no action will be taken to continue the present suspension of the agreement."

Invitations to Naval Reception

Vancouver.—Engraved invitations, embossed with the official seals of Vancouver and Victoria, are being dispatched from the mayor's office to the heads of cities and municipalities of the four western provinces, asking them to be represented at the reception to the British special service squadron at Victoria, June 21, and Vancouver, June 25. Nearly 300 of these invitations will go to points in the Canadian west.

B.C. Provincial Election

Victoria, B.C.—It is officially stated here that the provincial general elections will be held on June 21. A plebiscite on the question of whether beer shall be sold by the glass, in licensed premises, will be taken, it is believed, on the same day.

Wireless Operators Strike

Paris.—The French wireless company's operators, but few exceptions, were on strike in a protest against the dismissal of some of their members and to obtain more pay. It is believed to be the first wireless operators' strike on record.

MURINE FOR EYES

SUN, WIND, DUST & GINDERS
DUSTING POWDER, ETC. OFFICINALES
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WESTERN EDITORS



John Mackenzie, Editor and President of The Standard, Strathmore, Alberta, and President of the Canadian Weekly Press Association, Alberta Division.

PREPARING FOR A FIGHT ON THE TARIFF ISSUES

Ottawa.—"There has been no selling out," declared Hon. W. R. Motherwell, minister of agriculture, in the House during the continued debate on the budget. Mr. Motherwell was referring to relations between Liberals and Progressives. He added that the platforms of the two parties were identical.

Subsequent debate brought a further assurance from Premier King that Right Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, was in sympathy with the budget proposals. "After making my last statement on Mr. Fielding's attitude," said the Premier, "I had a conversation with Mr. Fielding and he requested me to repeat it again."

Col. Arthur (Conservative, Parry Sound), referred to immigration as one of the gravest problems Canada had to face. During the last fiscal year, 133,000 had entered Canada while, in the same period, 133,000 left Canada. Calculating that the average laboring man earned \$1,000 a year, Hon. W. R. Motherwell said the budget was a "real Liberal one." The parties were lining up for a fight on the tariff issues, and the budget was good in that it made a distinct cleavage between high and low tariff groups.

Mr. Motherwell said the Conservatives had not yet recovered from the surprise they received in the speech from the throne. The announcement from the implement manufacturers that they could get along very nicely under the new tariff was still firmly held to the opposition, which was still firmly trying to represent industry as ruined by the tariff.

Hon. Dr. R. J. Marion had cried out that industry was being sacrificed to politics, that the Liberals had sold out to the farmers. "There has been no selling out," said the minister of agriculture. "Our platform is identical with the farmers. If we carry out ours, we automatically carry out theirs."

Replying to those "who try to cloud the tariff issue" by telling the western farmers to go into mixed farming, Mr. Motherwell pointed out that some of the prairie provinces produce more butter and eggs per capita than Ontario.

Revenue From Stamp Tax

Ottawa.—An increase in the amount realized by the government from the stamp tax is indicated in the answer to a question in the Commons, when it was stated that from November 1, 1922, to March 31, 1923, the amount received in both post office and customs departments from that source was \$2,631,982. In the same period ending March 31, 1924, the amount was \$2,914,489.

Spain Mobilizes Planes

London.—A Reuters agency despatch from Seville, Spain, says the war minister has ordered all military airplanes and the personnel of the Spanish flying corps to be ready for immediate departure for Morocco.

This information is attributed to the news service Vox, which intimates that the order is a consequence of urgent despatches from Morocco reaching Seville last night.

Japanese Exclusion Bill

Washington.—At the insistence of President Coolidge, the conferees from both houses on the immigration bill have reconsidered their decision on the Japanese exclusion provisions and will report a provision to make the exclusion effective March 1, 1925, with the understanding that meantime a formal abrogation of the gentleman's agreement will be negotiated.

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Berlin.—A windstorm of cyclonic proportions wrecked Kleinbergen, a village of 50 houses near Nordhausen, Saxony, says a despatch. The town is said to have been leveled as though by artillery fire. No fatalities are reported.

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Manila.—A severe earthquake, the centre of which is believed to have been about 250 miles off the Pacific Coast of the Philippines, was recorded here at 12:10 p.m., May 7.

Should Keep In Closer Contact With New Settlers

Ottawa.—That the exodus of Canadians to the United States could be eliminated "by a close and sympathetic attention to immigrants before both their hearts and pockets were broken" was the salient observation of Col. F. Lindsay, British army officer and big game hunter, who was a visitor here. "One of the reasons for the falling down in the past has been in not keeping in close enough contact with the settler after he has arrived in the country, and in not fostering him safely through the initial period," he added.

No Rupture Between England and Russia

Committees Considering Question of Debts Between Two Countries

London.—Reports that have been widely circulated during the last few days that the negotiations of the Anglo-Russian conference had completely broken down are denied by both parties to the proceedings. Four committees are continuing the work of considering the questions of debts between the two countries, commercial credits, counter claims, territorial waters and a general commercial treaty. These committees have been working steadily for three weeks past preparing their reports for consideration by the plenary session of the accredited delegates.

It is currently rumored that the counter claim put forward by Russia, although exceedingly high, is not likely to outweigh the British claims. Immediate cash compensation to individuals is, however, regarded as out of the question. The committees are further studying the best methods of raising funds for the gradual liquidation of both private and national debts.

Soviets Warn Germany

Demand Apology for Police Raid on Headquarters in Berlin

Moscow.—In the absence of any satisfactory explanation from the German Government concerning the recent police raid on the Soviet trade headquarters in Berlin, the Russian Government is taking an increasingly serious view of the affair.

All the Soviet newspapers describe the incident as a scandal and publish long condemnatory editorials in which they warn Germany that if adequate apology is not forthcoming complications may ensue in which Germany will be the first to suffer.

M. Zinovjeff, chairman of the executive committee of the Communist International, declared the incident was a deliberate attempt by Russia's enemies to wreck the Anglo-Russian conference in London. He believed, however, that Russia's cordial relations with the German people were so strong that nothing could break them.

Britain May Admit Pedigree Cattle

Minister of Agriculture Preparing Bill For Imperial Conference

London.—Noel Buxton, minister of agriculture, states that he is preparing a bill to give effect to the Imperial conference recommendations with regard to the admission to Great Britain of pedigree stock from other parts of the Empire. In consequence of the preparation of the bill, the minister has declined to receive a deputation that was to have waited upon him to urge the free importation of pedigree cattle from Canada.

Soviets Would Like Old Russian Embassy

Seeking to Get Possession of Building in London

London.—The Soviet delegation in London, or the British Government on its behalf, is seeking to get possession of the building formerly occupied by the Russian Embassy, according to reports. The building known as Chesham House, now is occupied by Russian charities under the auspices of the Russian colony, which refuses to recognize the Soviet Government.

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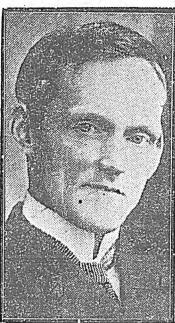
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Strong Arm Of Labor Party



Philip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer, whose Budget Speech has drawn cross fires of the Opposition.

Will Establish Patrols Along International Border

Winnipeg.—Sergts. Carter and W. R. Day of the Provincial Police, are now engaged in making a final survey of the points at which patrols will be established during the summer months for the policing of the international boundary. The American authorities are co-operating with the Canadian officers to prevent liquor running and smuggling, and with a special view of saving either country from invasion by criminals from the other. Before returning to Winnipeg, Sergts. Carter and Day will make a tour of the border in order to ascertain whether any changes are advisable from the plan followed in 1923.

Waterway Project

Announcement Made of Appointment of Advisory Committee

Ottawa.—Canada's national advisory committee on the St. Lawrence waterway project, and the Canadian representatives on the joint engineering board, which will consist of three engineers from the United States and a like number from Canada, were announced by Premier King.

Hon. George P. Graham, minister of railways and canals, is chairman of the advisory committee. The other members are: Thomas Aebeam, St. John's; Hon. Beau D. Lester, Montreal; Edward D. Martin, Winnipeg; Dr. W. L. MacDougall, Montreal; Hon. Sir Clifford Sifton, Toronto; Major-General John W. Stewart, Vancouver; and Hon. Adelard Turgeon, Quebec.

Anglo-Canadian

Shipping Trade

Could Be Wonderfully Developed Says Lieut.-Col. Amery

London.—"If we had the courage and vision to develop it as we should, the Anglo-Canadian shipping trade alone could be made far greater than the whole world shipping of the British Empire at the present time," declared Lieut.-Col. L. S. Amery, former First Lord of the Admiralty, at the annual meeting of the Mercantile Marine Service Association in Liverpool.

Lieut.-Col. Amery was speaking at a non-political gathering and did not particularize as to how the development of the Anglo-Canadian shipping trade ought to be accomplished.

Girls Qualify For "Red" Army Honors

Russian Peasants Took Part In War Against Counter-Revolutionists

Moscow.—Two girls of peasant origin, Mlle. Boule and Mlle. Survantsova, have qualified for high honors in the "Red" Army Military Academy. Mlle. Boule is a former Moscow working girl, and Mlle. Survantsova was a factory hand.

Both girls participated in the war against the counter-revolutionary armies, the former commanding a detachment of "Red" troops, and each gained distinction for gallantry and resource. They wear the regulation army officers' uniform, including scarlet breeches and high boots.

Inoculation Of Seed

Alfalfa and Clover Seed Treated With Nitro-Culture

Winnipeg.—Five thousand bottles of nitro-culture for the inoculation of alfalfa and clover seed have been sent out over the prairie provinces from Manitoba Agricultural College during April, is the report of D. B. Shutt, assistant professor of the bacteriology department.

This quantity, Professor Shutt said, will treat 5,000 bushels of seed, which is sufficient to seed approximately 25,000 acres.

No More Credit

Dawson, Y.T.—It is reported that the Hudson's Bay Company at last has abandoned the system of giving goods to natives on credit. They must now have cash or fur to pay for what they get.

DEBTS QUESTION MAY END THE RUSSIAN PARLEY

London.—Continued delay by the Anglo-Russian conference here in producing anything like tangible results is causing increased anxiety lest the parleys Prime Minister MacDonald started with the Soviet representatives on April 11, may break down.

British officials maintain that the next plenary session of the conference, which is expected to be held this week, will be the earliest possible moment to estimate accurately the progress or lack of progress in which the months' sessions have resulted. Other well informed observers stated that the chances at present seem to be against a successful termination of the negotiations.

As was to have been expected, the question of debt is the rock upon which the conference may split. It is officially stated that Chairman Rakovsky, of the Russian delegation, has not declined to recognize Russia's debt to Great Britain for the simple reason that the negotiations have not progressed far enough for British delegates to ask for such a pledge.

On the other hand, there is not the slightest intimation from the Soviet representatives that they have any idea of pledging the payment of even the £265,000,000 of private debts much less the enormous totals of the Czarist regime and war debts. These latter categories the British have indicated a willingness to forget, at least until the other war debts owed Great Britain by continental countries seem likely to be collected.

C.N.R. Branch Lines

Several Branch Lines in Saskatchewan Are Approved

Ottawa.—The western branch lines for the Canadian National were again before the railway committee of the house, the committee passing a bill for a branch line from Victoria Beach to Pine Falls, Manitoba. Then came a bill for a branch line from Mile 24 on the Melfort line of the Canadian Northern Saskatchewan to Mile 41 near Nipawin, Sask.

Anrew Knox, of Prince Albert, made some objection to the route of the proposed line and the bill, as passed, provides for an alternate route, north easterly or northerly, for 17 miles from Mile 41.

Differences of opinion arose over the proposed route of a line from Radville to Pine Lake, Sask. N. H. McCaggart (Maple Creek), suggested that the line should swing south from Bengough to tap the Wood Mountain area. Hon. W. R. Motherwell, minister of agriculture, thought the route proposed in the bill preferable. The bill was carried with an amendment providing for alternative routes from Radville to Birtchle or Bengough in a southerly then westerly direction, "as the engineers may desire."

Discussion arose on the Saskatchewan branch line from Dunblane to Mawer. Objection to the route of this line was raised by A. J. Lewis, of Swift Current. An alternative route was provided via a point west of Mawer and the bill passed.

Many Competing For Helicopter Prize

British Air Ministry Has Set Severe Test For Machine

London.—Entries have just closed for competition for the British air ministry's prize of £50,000 for a helicopter fulfilling the conditions prescribed when the test was announced in May, 1923, says the Daily Chronicle. There are between 15 and 20 entrants, including some of the greatest authorities upon the theory of this form of flight. It now only remains for the ministry to fix the date of the competition. It is required that to win the prize a machine shall accomplish a straight up and down flight attaining an altitude of 2,000 feet, a hovering flight of half an hour, a circular flight of 20 miles and at 60 miles an hour, a descent into a small area from 300 feet with the engines stopped.

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1/2 lb. 15¢



Food And Disease

Plenty of Fruit and Vegetables Keep People Healthy

Monks in England enjoy a remarkable immunity from cancer, tuberculosis and influenza, according to recent investigations made by the ministry of health. It is because they eat no meat in the monasteries, but consume a great deal of fresh vegetables and fruit?

Dr. S. Monkton Copeman, of the British ministry of health, has been making an investigation at the Cistercian Monastery at Cowfold, near Horsham, Sussex. He states that so far as he has been able to ascertain, the monks there appear to be extra ordinarily healthy. He pointed out that no meat was eaten in the monastery, but the monks eat a great deal of fruit and vegetables. Green salads are among the most important items of their diet. Like the monks on the continent they also make large dietary use of bread-and-water.

"There is no doubt," said Dr. Copeman, "that middle-aged people should eat plenty of fruit and vegetables like the monks. Most of the monks at Cowfold are middle-aged, but there are some old ones. I saw one who is nearly a hundred years old employed on earthy stones." Dr. Copeman added that carrots are not so free from disease, and that there is a good deal of consumption in convents, especially in the very poor ones.

The procurator of the monastery states that the industry has begun a detailed study on the dietary habits of the monks with a view to applying their frugal principles to the treatment of cancer. The opinion is steadily gaining ground among medical authorities that the kind of food we eat has a great influence on our health and our freedom from or susceptibility to disease.

Dr. Adam Wright, chairman of the Provincial Board of Health, Ontario, has given this matter of diet as a preventive of cancer much thought. He holds the opinion and is gaining ground, that the prevention of intestinal stains is an important factor in the prevention of stomach and intestinal cancers.

As cancer seems to be increasing in this country, according to statistics, it is readily seen that the question of diet in fighting this dreadful malady is extremely important.—By Dr. J. J. Middleton.

Chieftains From Fiji Are Visiting England

Sent to Represent Their Native Isle at Wenley Exhibition

Hereditary chieftains of two of the oldest Fiji tribes, Ratu Jeni Antonio Rabete, OBE, and Ratu P. Veli, reached Vancouver recently aboard the R.M.S. Malma from Suva. These two burly South Sea islanders, the former a native member of the Legislative Council of Fiji and head of the province of Cakaudrove, the latter a native chief and governor of the provinces of Macaua, are on their way to represent their native island at the British Empire Exhibition in recognition of the Golden Jubilee of Fiji, and will sail from Montreal on May 2 on the Canadian Pacific S.S. Montreal.

Both the chiefs are three powerfully built men and their shining black faces seem to smile perpetually. Ratu Rabete was given the O.B.E. in recognition of his services to the Empire during the war in connection with the organization of Fijian labor corps. Both are highly thought of in government circles in Fiji and give travelling in company with R. C. Higginson, a member of the Civil Service in Suva, who is returning to England on furlough. This will be Ratu Rabete's first visit to England, but Ratu Veli was one of twenty Fiji members of the native constabulary who travelled to London in 1905 to attend the coronation of His late Majesty King Edward the Seventh.

Alberta Anti-Weed Council

An Advisory Weed Council, to assist the Alberta Department of Agriculture in its anti-weed campaign, has been organized and will begin work at once. Its members are P. H. Fairfield, of the Dominion Experimental Farm at Lethbridge, and three of the U.P.A. members of the legislature: W. H. Shirlaw, Macleod; T. G. Cook, Pincher Creek; and P. Ezenaur, Airdrie.

Big Grain Movement

The development of wheat raising in Western Canada is indicated by the fact that in 1899 the Canadian Pacific Railway moved to the head of the lakes 26,000,000 bushels, while last year the same railway moved 188,000,000 bushels, and did not take no account of the large tonnage moved by the Canadian National Railways.

The modern locomotive is capable of running 122 miles an hour. On account of friction and danger, 60 miles is not often exceeded.

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Weed Makes Good Fuel

Strange Growth in Nile River Used On Steamers

For centuries it has been remarked and returning travellers relate today that a strange growth of thick weeds and sedge near the surface of the waters of the Nile, above Khartoum, are responsible for the impassability of the river at that point, writes the Washington Star.

French scientists, after a painstaking investigation of this twiggly, weedy, grassy, soggy fibro-like mass called soddite, constructed first a theory that this was the sort of stuff under proper geological conditions became what we recognize as coal, and they set about to prove their hypothesis.

Because coal is almost completely absent and practically prohibited for fuel uses at the necessarily high price, needs of fuel in the Sudan has kept the industrial development of the country at a standstill. There are 30,000 square miles of this Nile sediment. It grows about three feet beneath the surface of the river and grows to about twenty feet in height from the bed of the Nile. Composed of roots, stems, flowers, grasses, papaya and the like, it reappears at any spot in less than three weeks.

Now, the first step taken by these scientists was to arrange for the transportation of the soddite to Khartoum. The natives, every three weeks, cut the mass down, tie it into faggots, make rafts of the material and float it to Khartoum. This is taken to an industrial plant and transformed into dry, compact packages. In tests made on Nile steamers soddite proved itself equal to coal.

Ten Tests of a Town

The Necessary Qualifications for a Desirable Town or Village

What are the qualifications of a desirable town?

The chairman of the department of the University of Kansas has recently published the following ten questions, as those most frequently asked by people looking over a community with the idea of possibly settling in it:

1. Attractiveness: Is it pretty and well kept?
2. Healthfulness: Is it well managed?
3. Education: What are the facilities?
4. People: Are the residents good citizens?
5. Living: Is this expensive?
6. Accessibility: Is it easily reached from other towns?
7. Recreation: What is provided?
8. Business: Are there good opportunities for investment?
9. Employment: Are there prospects for employment?
10. Progressiveness: Is it going ahead?

A town cannot control its climate or its natural scenery or historic associations, according to this gentleman; but "if, in other respects, it does not measure up to the standard that will be applied to it by intelligent town-buyers, get busy and 'Help Make It Measure Up!'" The first big job of a good town salesman is to see to it that his community is right."

The questions which prospective or potential residents of a city, town or village will ask are not exhausted in the above list. They are more likely to number ten times ten; but if a community measures up well on all ten of the counts mentioned it will not fall below the head of its class these days.

Ambitious communities in this province might do worse than sit down with these "ten tests of a town" and subject themselves to a stiff self-examination.—Regina Leader.

Works Both Ways

The Squipe was walking through the English village one day wearing a very shabby coat when he met a friend.

"Surely you are ashamed to be seen in such a dreadful coat?" said the friend.

"Certainly not," replied the Squipe. "Everybody knows me here."

A week later the Squipe was in Birmingham, still wearing the old coat, when he chance to meet his friend, who again commented upon his untidy appearance.

"What does it matter?" was the reply. "Nobody knows me here."

—London Daily Mail.

To Build New Sanatorium

Preliminary work has commenced on the construction of the \$10,000 provincial sanatorium in Saskatoon. Full construction equipment is already on the ground and all the building material with the exception of the structural steel. It is anticipated that employment will be provided for upward of 100 men. Immediately excavation work is completed and the running of concrete commenced.

What the people of Europe need to do is to light somewhere and stay put.

Largest Handmade Mats

Woven by Blind Ex-Soldiers for British Empire Exhibition

Sir Joseph Cook, High Commissioner for Australia, inspected at St. Dunstan's, what are probably the largest cocoa-fiber mats ever made entirely by hand. They form part of the covering for the floor of the Australian Pavilion at the British Empire Exhibition. Measuring 69 feet by 5 inches, the largest of those mats covers an area of 601 square feet, and has woven into it black fiber, the word "Australia" in letters 2 feet 6 inches high.

Four of the mats cover a total area of 500 square feet. The mats have been made entirely by blind soldiers and sailors trained at St. Dunstan's who have been at work upon them in their own homes for the past three months, the sections, which number forty, having been assembled at the headquarters in Regent's Park, St. Dunstan's secured the contract in open competition.

Resistance to Heat

Fat Men Can Stand Heat Better Than Lean Ones

Fat men stand the heat better than lean ones, the U.S. bureau of mines has established through experiments in a specially constructed chamber at Pittsburgh. The fat men, the bureau found, lost more weight when subjected to uncomfortable, hot temperatures, but they were less exhausted when they were relieved. Pulse rate rather than rise in body temperature, it was discovered, apparently determines the extent of discomfort in high temperatures. Subjects became very uncomfortable when the pulses reached 125 pulsations a minute, and unbearable symptoms appeared at 160. The highest pulse rate recorded was 184.

The experiments were designed to afford a study of conditions as they might affect miners.

Beat the Minister

An English clergyman once said to a bright little girl in his Sunday school: "If you tell me where God is, I will give you an orange."

"I can tell you where He is not," promptly replied the little girl.

"I will give you two."

And yet he got into trouble over it.

Auntie (sighing). "Good morning, Billie boy, who up so early?"

Billie. "I don't know."

Auntie. "Why don't you know?"

Billie. "Cause mamma has said as soon as you start to ask me questions about everything I must say I don't know."

Only one woman in 100 in India can read; only one woman in 1,000 Chinese women know their letters.

If things fail to come your way go after them.

To Establish Forest Wealth

Taking Stock of Extent of Timber in Quebec

In a further attempt to establish the wealth of the timber limits of the province of Quebec not yet conceded, the inventory of the section in the upper Chaudiere and Lake St. John districts as well as the North Shore will be resumed early in May by engineers of the Provincial Department of Lands and Forests.

It will take years to complete this work, but already 39,000 square miles in the sections above mentioned have been inventoried and this season's plans provide for the inventory of some 20,000 additional square miles.

Through the use of hydroplanes, reconditioning work which would take five years to be performed otherwise is done in two hundred hours of flying, and the cost, in stead of reaching hundreds of thousands, is reduced to a minimum.

Three hydroplanes are expected to be operated this year by private companies under contract to the Provincial Government.

Julius Caesar Used Elevator

According to the statements of the manager of a large elevator company who has made a careful study of the subject of elevators and lifts, the famous Roman emperor, Julius Caesar, was the first to conceive the idea of an elevator and had the first lift constructed.

He says that the Roman conqueror built one to hold building materials. After tracing the evolution of the elevator down to the present time, he indicates how nowadays a single operator can run as many as 90 elevators, which may be stopped automatically at different floors.

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Asks League's Decision

German Lady's Claim to French Property is Denied

"The man without a country," or in this case a woman, actually has come before the League of Nations.

A woman, whose property in France was sequestered during the war, appealed to the World Court at The Hague, stating that France labels her as German, but that Germany refuses to recognize her as a national. The World Court passed the problem of the woman's property to the League of Nations.

Conditions arising from the war probably have placed many persons in this same position, so that they are debared from all existing legal tribunals.

The legal rights of the league adult there is involved in such cases a denial of justice. The solution appears to be the elaboration of an international convention by which states surrender existing sovereign rights of deciding for themselves the conditions under which their nationality is automatically, or may voluntarily, acquired or lost.

The question raised by the German woman does not lie within the competency of the league covenant, and it seems plain, say the legal experts, that the league can only act through the arbitration of a state.

A Message to the Moon

Test Rocket Will Be Sent Up Late This Summer

Professor Robert H. Goddard, of Clark University, who some time ago announced that he had designed a rocket with which he hoped to send a message to the moon, will send a test rocket into the air late this summer, it is announced.

The contraption, which will be about five feet high, and loaded with a series of explosive charges, is expected to ascend about ten miles above the earth.

"The rocket will do on a small scale what one of the same type but of large size would accomplish in making a flight to the moon," Dr. Goddard said. "Upon the success of the experiment, project, or my endeavor, my effort to reach the lunar satellite."

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With The Boy Scouts

An 8th Vancouver Scout Law Play

The following story from the Scout News page of the Vancouver Province offers a good example of what boys might put into and get out of a Scout Law play.

At the last troop meeting the Curlew Patrol made their first attempt at the Scout Law plays, and succeeded very well. The Third Law—Helpfulness—was their subject. A stoutish youth appears on the scene—Scout Bough—stroking along deep in thought. He is accosted by a rough-looking character—Scout Pearce—and asked for the price of a meal.

While tumbling in his pockets the rough sandbaggs his victim and rapidly goes through his pockets taking all of value. On hearing someone approaching he takes to flight, in his haste dropping his cap and hurrying off without noticing his loss. Enter three Scouts—P. L. Clay, Ester, and Scout Knight. Catching sight of the inanimate form they run up, ascertain the extent of the injury and render first aid.

Placing a pocket book, they discover the identity of the victim and exit carrying the unconscious figure. A few moments later two of the boys return and commence a search for any possible clue to the identity of the perpetrator of the outrage. The cap is of course found and held as an important clue.

At this point the rough again appears on the scene looking around for his cap, which he fears may be discovered and lead to the disclosure of his identity. The Scouts ask if they can be of any assistance, and after a moment's hesitation the rough states that he is looking for a friend's cap and is about to beat a hasty retreat when he is seized by the Scouts and searched. A purse containing a considerable sum of money and a watch and chain are found in his pockets, and he is promptly marched off for delivery to the nearest policeman.

Considering that the Curwells have the smallest patrol and that they live mostly at considerable distance from each other, they did very well, indeed, and fully deserved the applause they received at the termination of their onto Troop.

The Ghost Ranch

Retired British Army Officer Will Conduct Half-Way House For Motorists

Malcolm Mortimer, of New York, a retired British Army officer, has bought 187 acres of land at Ghost River on the main trail from Calgary to Banff and will build the "Ghost Ranch," a half-way house where motorists will find entertainment, food and rest. It is his intention to train polo ponies, keep pack horses and arrange fishing and shooting excursions, establish a silver fox ranch, etc. The site chosen represents one of the lowest points possible, looking towards the Rockies, up the Bow River, down the river to Calgary and up the Ghost River into the beautiful canyon. The location is 200 feet above the Ghost and Bow Rivers, which meet at this point.

Good Trapping Season

According to reports reaching Calgary from reliable sources, fur trapping in the north was very productive this year. Weasel and red fox have been plentiful and muskrat has been light. The beaver catch has been fair. Lynx are reported far more plentiful, due to the return of the rabbits.

The Most Useful Part

Teacher—Now that I have explained how a penknife is made, I want you to tell me which is the most important part of a knife.

Willie—Er—er—

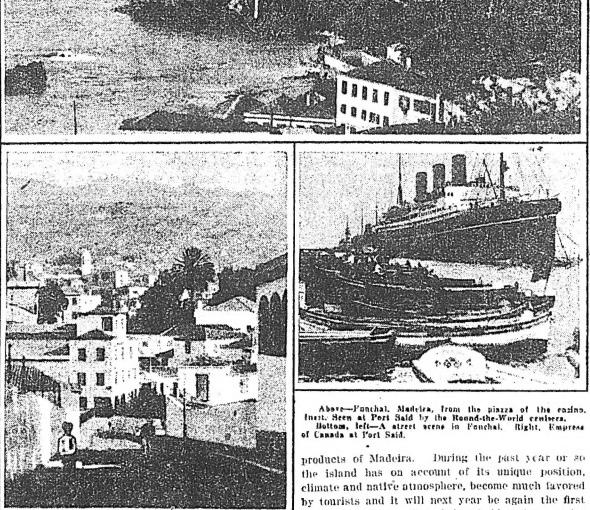
Teacher—What part of a knife do you use most?

Willie—The concave.

"I suppose," said the drummer, "you labor on the Sabbath and rest the remainder of the week?" "No," replied the village parson, "I try to collect my salary on week days."

A Venezuelan railway from Caracas to Valencia has 80 tunnels in only 65 miles.

WHERE COLUMBUS WOODED



Above—Punchal, Adelias, Iron the signs of the route. Left—A street scene in Punchal. Right—Empress of Canada at Port Said.

products of Madeira. During the past year or so the island has on account of its unique position, climate and native atmosphere, become much favored by tourists and it will next year be again the first port of call for the Round-the-World cruisers under Canadian Pacific auspices.

Punchal is reached seven days out from New York, and after remaining there for a few days the Empress of France will proceed through the Mediterranean and the Red Sea, touch here and there, en route to India, Bangkok, Singapore, Philippines, Java, China, Japan, Hawaii, thence through the Panama Canal to New York. Gibraltar will be the second stopping place and then Algiers, that still half-Arabian city of grey terraces and minarets, which for 200 years was the stronghold of the Barbary pirates.

Monaco, Naples, and so on. "All the World's a Stage" and, for the tourist, all the people of it, a pageant play.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

King George has signed the Anglo-American treaty providing a 32-mile limit for search and seizure of rum runners off the American coast.

The Bavarian Landtag has been dissolved, says a message from Munich. The cabinet, headed by Dr. Von Kallfing, has resigned.

Six Italian emigrants who were about to embark for Canada were taken into custody at Cherbourg, France, on an allegation that the passports they held were forged. The passes were printed in the French language.

A serious epidemic of cholera has swept over the Behar division of Bengal, India, where more than 10,000 deaths have occurred this year. In the worst affected district, 1,000 died last week. The epidemic is still spreading.

The first Hebrideans to arrive in Canada via the St. Lawrence River this season were disembarked at Quebec, May 5, from the Canadian Pacific steamer Marloch, from Glasgow and Stromness. There were upwards of 200 in the party.

Eighteen grain boats on April 24 took out of Fort William 3,617,000 bushels of wheat, oats and barley. The Canadian taking a small cargo of flax alone to Superior. The Keekatin, of the Canadian Pacific lake fleet, and the Huronie, of the Northern Navigation Company, both cleared with passengers and freight.

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Market For Store Cattle

Possibilities for Canada in Great Britain Are Unlimited

The market possibilities for Canadian store cattle in Great Britain are almost unlimited, J. H. Griscom, deputy minister of agriculture, told the agriculture committee of the House of Commons, Ottawa. With Ireland shipping as many as one million head per year to England and Scotland, the market is there for Canadian store cattle. Up to the present Canada has only shipped a small number owing to the cost of marketing, he said. The market for chilled beef in the United Kingdom might be made very profitable if the position of the Canadian production could be made secure.

Late Spring Curtails Crop

Some Reduction in Wheat Acreage in Saskatchewan Is Expected

The lateness of the season is responsible for an estimated reduction of 10 per cent. in the acreage that will be seeded to wheat in the province this year, according to a crop report issued by the bureau of statistics of the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture.

On the other hand, an increase of 10 per cent. in the area sown to flax is anticipated. The reports indicate that fall rye has wintered well in most places.

A shortage of farm help is reported in some places, but in others the demand has been fairly well satisfied.

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Summer Excursions

Canadian Pacific Railway Arranges Attractive Tours to East and West

Preparations for summer excursions, one of the popular features of the Canadian Pacific Railway, are under way, and give promise of another successful year of passenger service. The mountain resort hotels and hunting camps operated by the Canadian Pacific are making ready to open their doors on May 15th and June 1st, and in conjunction with the holiday season the passenger department of the railway has arranged interesting circular trips for both Eastern and Western Canada.

Some attractive round trip excursions have been mapped out and not the least so is the excursion to the Pacific Coast on May 15th, and available all summer until September 30th. Tickets for the Pacific Coast will be on sale from points in Ontario west of Port Arthur, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, bearing the final return limit of October 30th. Stop-over privileges are a feature of this trip, giving passengers an opportunity of seeing some of Canada's finest scenery and visiting noted mountain resorts. Circular tour fares which include a trip on the main lines of the Canadian Pacific to Revelstoke and Sicamous, returning through the Arrow or Okanagan Lakes, are always in popular demand for those who love the natural beauty that one finds in British Columbia. These tickets are one sale May 15th with a return limit of October 31st, and are available from points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Covering the same time limit the Canadian Pacific will again place before the public summer excursion rates on Eastern Canada from points in Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan. An additional feature for east-bound travellers is the fact that these tickets are honored on the Company's lake boats upon a small extra charge to cover berth and meals.

Worms cause fretfulness and 'toss the infant of sleep, the great nourisher. Mother Graves' Worm External will clear the stomach and intestines and restore healthfulness.

Settlers' Effects Movement

Settlers effects exported during the last fiscal year were \$10,795,941 compared with \$10,971,002 in the previous year. Settlers' effects imported were \$6,114,702 as against \$6,205,055.

Some charity begins at home, but the best hand is directed toward the homeless.

Minard's Liniment, the Athlete's Remedy

An Irish philosopher says it's a wise man who has his after thoughts first.

Doing Away With Sleep

English Scientist Claims Discovery of Substitute for Real Thing

It is with mixed feelings that one learns of the discovery by an English scientist of a process which will do away with the need of sleep. During sleep the weary brain-cells are recharged with vital force, which is electro-chemical in character. Dr. David Fraser Harris has devised an apparatus for recharging the brain-cells with the vital force of the requisite quantity and quality. So it may be that, in the near future, we shall be able to dispense with sleep, and obtain in a few minutes all the recuperative benefit which mankind has heretofore gained by "drinking deep of all the blessedness of sleep."

Time can thus be saved—but how much would be lost? For sleep is not desirable and desired only because it recharges the brain-cells, it brings merciful oblivion to the woes and troubles of life. It stays hasty and ill-considered action, and prepares the way for the wise second thought. Not alone in a physical sense is it "tired Nature's sweet restorer." For many other reasons do most of us feel like echoing the sentiment of Sancho Panza, "God bless the man who first invented sleep."

Somehow we are compelled to doubt if the scientific substitute for sleep will ever displace the real thing, even if it were to prove as effective as discoverer hopes. It may be used in emergencies, to enable people to keep going when they are fagged out and have no time to sleep. But Nature's ways are best.—Hamilton Herald.

Hog Grading Results

Progress Made in Campaign in Favor of Bacon Type

Returns for the first three months of 1924, compared with the first quarter of last year, from the stockyards and packing plants, particularly of Alberta and Ontario, indicate the progress that is being made under the hog grading policy and the campaign in favor of the bacon type carried on by Donalson and Provincial Departments of Agriculture. In the named provinces the returns show 4,516 selected compared with 2,840 and 166, 341 thick smooths compared with 111, 674. A noticeable feature of the Alberta returns is a decrease of sheep hogs from 26,410 in 1923 to 338 this year. For Ontario the figures are 92,534 selected this year compared with 47,449 last year, an increase of nearly 45,000, and of thick smooths, 182,794 this year compared with 74,945, an increase of 14,855, and of thick smooths compared with 5,692, and of thick smooths compared with 53,576. Quebec shows a decrease in selected or 3,797 and an increase of thick smooths of 5,729. In shop hogs Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec each show an increase. But selects get the premium and they show a total increase in the four previous combed of 42,918.

Women's Ailments Caused by Neglect

Proper Treatment Will Quickly Bring Back Robust Health and Good Spirits

Women are on the whole more debilitated than men. One reason is that their system is more complicated; another and more important reason is, they put off measures of relief too long. At the beginning constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of women's ailments. The nerves become weakened and politicized—the nerves suffer, and a run-down condition takes root.

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A SPLENDID LAXATIVE FOR THE BABY

Chinese Phone Girls Quick

China's time system is the most up-to-date in the world. So declares Norman W. Anderson, a telephone engineer of the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Company, who arrived at Liverpool on the Canadian Pacific liner Montalaurier.

Statistics, he states, show that Chinese operators can secure a connection in three and a half seconds, whereas in London, the average call takes six seconds to connect.

Great Britain in 1922 had 22,015,520 gross tons of shipping, 5,000,000 more than its nearest rival, the United States.

Whitefish Fry For Ontario Lakes

Fish Hatcheries at Fort Frances Distributing Whitefish Fry to Lakes in Ontario

Nearly six million jumbo whitefish fry, from the fish hatcheries at Fort Frances, are being distributed throughout lakes in Ontario, according to advice received in Whimbyep by the baggage department of the Canadian National Railways, and many more millions of fry are expected to be distributed from the hatchery at Fort Frances during the next few weeks. Distributions made from Fort Frances during the last week were: Little Turtle Lake, Mine Centre, 500,000 fry; Rainy Lake, Rocky Inlet, 5,000,000 fry; Mink and Elbow Lakes, Abitibi, 500,000 fry each. The fry in each case were received at their destination in good condition.

Will Fly Mt. Everest Climb

Elaborate preparations have been made to take motion pictures of the third expedition to climb Mount Everest, which is soon leaving England.

The film camera is to be concentrated in one box and carried by a mule.

A camera operated by clockwork will be used.

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We Specialize in:- High Grade Dimension, Shiplap and Boards.
Hardwood Flooring and Interior Finish.

Laths, Shingles, Building Materials, and Fence Posts
Always on Hand.

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Crocus Lodge, No. 115, G.R.A.

A. F. & A. M.

Meets at 8 p.m. the Wednesday on
or after the full moon.

Visiting brethren cordially wel-
comed.

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Meals at all hours. All kinds
of Tobacco, Candies and
Soft Drinks

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Regular first-class meals 40cts
Board and Room by the week
very reasonable

Short Orders at all hours
Confectionery, Cigars, Cigarettes
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Fresh Bread, Soft Drinks
Ice Cream

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Horse shoeing and General
Wood Work Repairing

We guarantee our work.

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FOR SALE
Dry Wood

In 12 inch lengths,
A limited quantity. Leave your
order early.

I expect a car load of

Fence Posts
to arrive any day.

ROB'T VANHOOK
CHINOOK, ALTA.

**ANNOUNCE THIRD ANNUAL
TOUR TO THE COAST**

Special Train from Winnipeg
Stops Made at Various
Points of Interest

PERSONALLY CONDUCTED

This tour, which will be interesting
to the holiday maker and of great
educational value to the student and
the teacher, offers unusual opportunity for seeing, under the most
favorable conditions, the Canadian
Rockies, including Jasper National
Park, and the Pacific Coast.

The special train, operated in
connection with this tour and consisting
of modern sleeping car equipment,
dining car and radio observation car,
will leave Winnipeg, July 2. After
stopping at various points of interest
the train will arrive at Prince Rupert
on July 7. At this latter point, the
party will embark on one of the
palatial steamships of the Canadian
National Pacific Coast services for a
cruise of 550 miles through the famous
"Inside Passage" to Vancouver.
While the tour terminates at Vancouver,
those who desire to make a
trip to Victoria, may have their tickets
read "Victoria" as their destination
without any additional cost.

The local agent of the Canadian
National Railways will be pleased to
give you full particulars of this tour,
including the cost, choice of routes
returning, etc.

Spring Clean Up

Clean up or burn up, remove
filth, or breed disease, which shall
it be? Do not let your home or
business against a few dollars
worth of waste paper or trash.
There is always the possibility of
fire in combustible rubbish; it
always helps to spread fire, increases
the fire loss, and makes
fire fighting more difficult and
dangerous.

Gather up and remove all waste
paper, oily waste and rags and
other trash. They are in the
basement, in closets, in the back
yard, in and around your buildings,
in fence corners and other
nooks, corners and hiding places.

A clean home, store and town
should be our ambition and
pride, they are marks of good
citizenship.

When "Clean-Up-Week" is
past, make every day a clean-up
day, and keep your home, store
and town clean, safe and sanitary.

Alberta has produced more
registered seed than the whole of
the rest of Canada, according to
officials of the Dominion and Provincial
Seed Departments.

**GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT OF
ALBERTA****APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENSE**

Public notice is hereby given that
the undersigned intends applying to
the ALBERTA LIQUOR CONTROL
BOARD for a license to sell Beer by
the glass, or open bottle, for con-
sumption in conformity with the provisions
of the Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta, and regulations
made thereunder, with respect to
the following premises:

The South West Quarter of the
Acadia Hotel situated on Lots 1 and
2, Block 4, Plan 2231BA., Village of
Chinook, Alberta.

Dated at Chinook, Alberta, this
1st day of May, 1924.

J. L. CARTER, Applicant.

**THE LAND TITLES ACT
MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM
PROPERTY**

Pursuant to the directions of the
Registrar and by virtue of the Powers
of Sale provided by "The Land
Titles Act" under a certain mortgage
which will be produced at the time
of the sale, there will be offered for
sale by public auction at the Acadia
Hotel in the Village of Chinook in
the Province of Alberta, on Saturday
the 31st day of May 1924, at the hour
of TWO o'clock in the afternoon, the
following property, namely:

The South West Quarter and the
North East Quarter of Section Seventeen
(17) in Township Thirty-one
(31) and Range Six (6) West of the
Fourth Meridian in Alberta, reser-
ving unto the Crown all mines and
minerals.

Terms of sale to be Ten per cent
cash at the time of the sale and the
balance according to the terms and
conditions to be made known at the
time of sale or upon application to
the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered
for sale subject to a sealed reserved
sum and free from all encumbrances,
save taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the
above property is situated about 17
miles from Cereal on the C. N. R.,
that there are situated thereon a dwelling
14 ft. by 18 ft., addition 14 ft. by
16 ft., addition 6 ft. by 12 ft., and
stable 34 ft. by 34 ft. all shingle
roofed, frame, that there is a good
supply of water and that about 315
acres have been cultivated.

For further particulars and condi-
tions of sale, apply to

L. E. ORMOND,
Barrister,
Chinook, Alberta.

DATED this 23rd day of April, A.D.
1924.

Approved:
W. Forbes,
Registrar.

LOST—A black colt, 2 years old
with white stripe on forehead.
Branded WA on right thigh.
Reward of \$5.00. Finder notify Reg.
Witt, Chinook, Alta.

At the Elevators

(Prices Paid Yesterday)

Wheat

1 Northern80
2 Northern77
3 Northern72
Oats	
2 C.W.25
3 C.W.22

Record Shipment of Bees

The largest shipment of bees
ever consigned over a Canadian
railway arrived in Winnipeg re-
cently and consisted of forty million
bees valued at \$10,000. The
shipment came from J. E. March
and, of Conway, South Carolina,
and was consigned to R. J. Smith
of Winnipeg.

Narrow Escape

Joe Bailey, of the Laughlin
District, nearly lost his home last
Friday. Fire of unknown origin
started in some rubbish in the
back yard. Fortunately Mrs
Bailey discovered it in time and
the fire was extinguished.

Prairie Fire

A prairie fire broke out about
ten miles south east of Chinook
on Wednesday morning, which
burnt a stretch of prairie over two
miles in length and a mile wide.
Several people from Chinook and
Cereal went out to fight the fire.

A TRIBUTE

On Saturday afternoon, May 3,
at 2:30, relatives and friends met
at the cemetery chapel in Hudson,
Wisconsin, to pay their last respects
to the late Charles Albert Holden.
Mr. Holden was born at St. Stephen, N.B., and moved with his parents to Hudson when
a small child. Later he attended the city schools and then a commercial school in Milwaukee. On his return to Hudson he was for several years connected with different business firms in the capacity of clerk and many still remember the bright young man who was always ready to take care of their wishes. In 1882, Mr. Holden went to North Dakota and started a farm near where the city of Inkster now stands. For more than a quarter of a century he made this his home interesting himself in wheat raising and the superintendence of a line of elevators. During the summer of 1908 he again felt the desire to pioneer, and in company with several business associates moved to Canada and engaged in ranching. Mr. Holden is survived by three sisters and two brothers and a number of nieces and nephews. He answered the call of his Maker on Sunday, April 27, 1924, at Chinook, Alberta, and was laid to rest in Willow River cemetery at Hudson, Wisconsin, where his parents and sister are sleeping.

FARM FOR SALE

E 1/2 of Section 4; Tp. 32; R. 7; W.
of 4th Mer., subject to taxes for the
current year and subject to the ex-
ceptions and reservations contained in
the existing Certificate of Title.

By public auction at the Post Office
of Chinook on Saturday, the 7th day
of June 1924, at the hour of 2 o'clock
in the afternoon, by J. L. Carter, auctioneer.

This farm is about 18 miles from
Chinook, about 250 acres are unde-
cultivated. It is partly fenced and
Rolliston Post Office adjoins the land.

The property will be offered for
sale at an upset price of \$1950.00
which at sum bidding will start.

Terms to per cent cash; 15 per cent
within 60 days without interest and
the balance in 3 equal installments in
6, 12 and 18 months with interest
at 9 per cent per annum, or if the
purchaser desires, full payment will be
accepted within 60 days without interest.

Standing conditions of sale to apply
Action No. 22170: Supreme Court,
Calgary.

Further particulars may be obtained
from Messrs. Macleod, Robertson &
Smith & Company, Solicitors
for the Plaintiff, Canada Life Building,
Calgary, Alberta. Refer to File
30072-VGE.

DATED at Calgary, Alberta, this 6th
day of May, 1924.

A. G. P. CLOWES,
L. F. CLARRY, Clerk in Chambers
M.C.

FOR SALE—A quantity of pure
Leader seed oats, cleaned. H.
H. George, Chinook. Phone
116.

Now Open For Business**Arcadie Dining Room**

Misses E. and H. Finske

Come In and Try Our Meals

Spring Clean Up

We can supply you with
**Paints, Kalsomine
and Varnishes**

**Polish Mops, Brooms
and Scrub Brushes****"Marswells" Oil Stoves**

These stoves are noted for their burning qualities.
A very hot blue flame is produced by a combination
in a combustion chamber of the flame from the oil
with oxygen from the air into a gas; and thus, too,
actual consumption of oil is made smaller.

Sporting Goods

**BASEBALL BATS and MITTS
GOLF STICKS and BALLS
TENNIS RACKETS and TENNIS BALLS**

Banner Hardware

CHINOOK ALBERTA

NOSE NETS

Fly time is again with us.
We have all the latest things in nets. Get them
now and dull the old fly's beak before it gets too
sharp.

Running Shoes for Children and Men

With double weight soles that will give twice
the wear. Also
OXFORD SHOES AND SILK SOCKS

**This Store will be closed all day Saturday,
May 24, but will be open late Friday evening
May 23.**

The Chinook Harness Shop

S. H. SMITH, Prop.

Robinson Bros.,**General Blacksmiths**

Horse-shoeing and General Wood Work
Repairing

Get Our Prices On Plow Share Work

Chinook Alta.

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FINAL RETURN OCT. 31, 1924**

Eastern Canada**Pacific Coast**

A Few Days in Jasper Park -- Canadian Rockies

**Wide Choice Of Routes Via Canadian National
And Other Lines Embracing Rail, Lake And
Sea Trips**



GET FULL INFORMATION FROM LOCAL AGENT

FOR SALE—A quantity of Bronzite Turkey eggs at 20 cents each. Also Buff Orpington hen eggs at \$1.00 for 15. Mrs. F. J. Maris, Phone 504 Chinook.

FOR SALE—Seed Oats, and young Berkshire Pigs ready May 7. Phone your orders. J. H. Bury, Phone 168 Chinook.